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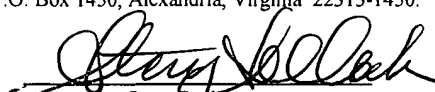
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Sir:

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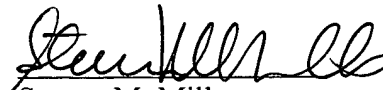
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT


Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated January 18, 2006 in the above-referenced patent application, the Applicants hereby elect Group I, including claims 1-33, without traverse. The applicants request substantive examination on claims 1-33.

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